

Department of Justice
Washington

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Honorable Myer Feldman
Deputy Special Counsel to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.


Dear Mr. Feldman:

At the request of Nick Katzenbach, I am sending you herewith the following:

- (1) Four copies of a draft proclamation which we received yesterday from Frank Bartimo, Assistant General Counsel (Manpower), Department of Defense.
- (2) Copy of a memorandum for the Attorney General re National Emergency, dated July 17, 1961.
- (3) Copy of a document dated September 8, 1961 entitled "Executive Powers Available By Virtue of a Declaration of War or National Emergency."
- (4) Copy of a document dated July 18, 1961 entitled "Executive Powers Available By Virtue Of The National Emergency Proclaimed on December 16, 1950."

Mr. Katzenbach asked me to tell you that he will be in touch with you tomorrow regarding the problem you mentioned to him involving the Treasurer.

Sincerely,


Norbert A. Schlei
Assistant Attorney General
Office of Legal Counsel

Enclosures